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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 2001,** upon the application of **EL PASO PRODUCTION COMPANY.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston B Zone**, **Reservoir A and Hosston C Zone**, **Reservoir A**, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Lowery 6 No. 1 Well and its Lowery 6 No. 2 Well, at the location shown on the plats submitted with the application, as additional alternate unit wells for HOSS B RA SUM and as additional alternate unit wells for HOSS C RA SUT.
- 2. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize its Louisiana Minerals Ltd 7 No. 1 well, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, as an alternate unit well for HOSS B RA SUO.
- 3. To approve exceptions to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q, effective February 18, 1971, which is applicable to the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, for the locations of the Lowery 6 No. 2 Well and the Louisiana Minerals Ltd 7 No. 1 Well as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 4. To find that drilling, designation and use of these wells as alternate unit wells for the units on which they are proposed to be drilled is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, and the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A, underlying these units which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within these units.
- 5. To approve the downhole combination of production from the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A and the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A, in the wellbores of these wells and in the wellbore of any other well located on these units in which the ownership interest in the Hosston B Zone unit is identical to the ownership interest in the Hosston C Zone unit.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q, effective February 18, 1971, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Q-8, effective July 6, 1982.

The Hosston C Zone. Reservoir A. in the Bear Creek Field. Bienville Parish. Louisiana. was defined in Office of

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All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 12/11/00;12/14/00 S dpe

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT <u>DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES</u>, <u>PERSONNEL SECTION</u> AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.